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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

1. Response to Restriction Requirement (1 page); and
2. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at 617-542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No.15966-562NATL. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Restriction Requirement Dated March 7, 2005, Applicants elect the invention of Group XXVII, (claims 17 and 26), drawn to a method of treating or preventing a disorder by administering an antibody to the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO: 6, with traverse.

With no extension of time, a response is due on June 7, 2005. Applicants believe no fees are due with this submission, however, should any fee be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No.15966-562NATL).

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